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Political Breakthrough

U.S. Table Tennis Jnit to Visit China

WASHINGTON, April 7 (AP)—A U.S. table tennis team today received and accepted quickly an invitation to visit a series of goodwill matches in China. It will be the first American sports group to enter the country since the communists took power 22 years ago.

Arms Hurt Expansion In Russia Fourth of Funds Go for Military

By Theodore Shabad MOSCOW, April 7 (NYT)—The Soviet Union disclosed today that its military establishment was absorbing as much as one-fourth of all the funds available for growth of the nation's economy.



TIME TO THINK—With a cross dangling from his neck, a GI of the 5th Mechanized Division sits atop his armored personnel carrier, manning his machine gun at Lang Vei, near the Laotian border, in the westernmost American position in Vietnam.

9 Republican Senators' Plea to Nixon

Vietnam Pullout Schedule Urged

By Chalmers M. Roberts

WASHINGTON, April 7 (WP)—President Nixon ought to give America and the rest of the world some firm idea of the end of U.S. involvement in Vietnam in his speech tonight. That was the message nine Republican senators took to Defense Secretary Melvin Laird Monday night.

adamant in his refusal to set a firm date for a final and total American withdrawal. The senators Monday avoided pressing for such a date, they reported, stressing instead the need for a statement of intention to withdraw totally without conditions.

of a slowdown in withdrawals in late December and January in anticipation of a possible Communist offensive. The current troop level is about 290,000 men in Indochina, not counting thousands more off shore in the Seventh Fleet and the Air Force in Thailand.

Army Lawyer Assails Nixon In Calley Case

WASHINGTON, April 7 (NYT)—Capt. Aubrey M. Daniel 3d, the prosecutor in the Army court-martial of 1st Lt. William L. Calley Jr., has sent President Nixon a letter protesting the President's intervention in the case and charged that it weakened respect for the legal process.



Capt. Aubrey M. Daniel 3d

Congressmen Sue Nixon to End Fighting

WASHINGTON, April 7 (AP)—Three Democratic congressmen sued President Nixon today in an effort to have the Vietnam war declared illegal. They brought suit in U.S. District Court seeking an order that the war be stopped in 60 days unless Congress declares war.

Says Israeli Stand Justified

Goldberg Denies UN Sought Total Pullout

LONDON, April 7 (AP)—Arthur Goldberg, U.S. ambassador to the United Nations during the 1967 Middle East war, said today that the UN never really considered a total Israeli pullback to pre-war borders.

4 Reds, 27 Rightists

Week Political Prisoners Freed, Camps to Be Razed

ATHENS, April 7 (Reuters)—The army-backed government today released all political prisoners held without specific charges, but continued to hold 400 people serving heavy terms for plotting to overthrow the regime.

waiting for trial on charges of plotting to overthrow the regime. They include Ioannis Alexras, a member of parliament whose name was listed among politicians released today.



TERRORISTS IN TOW—Two Croatian terrorists being brought out of the Yugoslav Embassy in Stockholm yesterday after they had tried to assassinate the ambassador.

2 Croats Wound Yugoslav Envoy in Sweden

STOCKHOLM, April 7 (UPI)—Two Croatian nationalists, protesting "murders of Croats in Yugoslavia," today opened fire in the Yugoslav Embassy in Stockholm, seriously wounding the ambassador and his secretary.

Won't Attend Cairo Talks

Hussein Says Arab Regimes Encourage Jordan Violence

AMMAN, April 7 (UPI)—King Hussein's government today accused other Arab regimes of encouraging violence in Jordan. It said their reaction to current fighting between Palestinian guerrillas and the Jordanian Army "seemed as if it was intended to hurl the resistance into self-annihilation by clashing with government forces, and to blame the Jordanian government for it."

A Foreign Ministry statement broadcast on the Amman radio said Jordan would not be represented at an Arab world conference called by Egypt and it said Amman "refused to shoulder the outcome of Arab and world controversies."

The Jordanian stand was broadcast as the guerrillas faced a deadline tomorrow set by Hussein to move their heavy weapons out of Amman or face the consequences.

Late yesterday the 36-year old monarch told a meeting of Jordanian industrialists, "Weapons should be where the battle is." He said they must be withdrawn by tomorrow or "the results will be cruel."

Other guerrillas blew up installations on the East Ghor Canal which feeds water into the arid Jordan Valley, he said.

The spokesman said the guerrillas also launched several attacks from Syrian territory. The bulk of these involved shellings, but one included a ground attack repulsed by local villagers, he said.

This was the fifth time in the recent fighting that the government has accused the guerrillas of using Syrian territory as a staging area for their raids.

The Jordanian Foreign Ministry statement said Jordan would not send a representative to the projected meeting of Arab representatives in Cairo because "it received the invitation too late to form a delegation."

Egypt last week called for a meeting of royal and presidential envoys to discuss the Jordanian situation in Sweden this year. On Feb. 10, two Croats occupied the Yugoslav Consulate in Goteborg and threatened to kill three hostages unless the Belgrade government freed a Croatian. The two surrendered after 24 hours without harming their hostages. They were both sentenced to three and a half years in prison.

Protest by Yugoslavia BELGRADE, April 7 (AP)—The Yugoslav government today sharply protested the assault on its ambassador, charged the Swedish government with delay in undertaking energetic measures to prevent it.

On 'Meddling' in Bengal Revolt

Peking Accuses New Delhi And Pakistan Scolds Russia

NEW DELHI, April 7 (UPI)—Communist China has broken its silence on the war in East Pakistan and charged India with interfering in Pakistan affairs, the Indian Foreign Office spokesman said today.

India promptly rejected the charge as unwarranted.

The note, delivered yesterday by Chinese chargé d'affaires Chen Chao-Yuan, accused India of flagrantly interfering in the internal affairs of Pakistan.

It also said the Indian government has connived at willful trouble-making by Indians in front of the Chinese Embassy, a reference to a demonstration last week.

The demonstration was to protest reports the Chinese had offered refueling facilities for Pakistani planes flying troops and weapons to the war zone.

The Pakistani press, meanwhile, joined in castigating Soviet President Nikolai V. Podgorny for what one newspaper called "meddling" in Pakistani affairs. The newspapers also reprinted previous charges that India was flagrantly interfering by aiding the East Pakistani rebels.

Pakistan was angered because Mr. Podgorny sent a letter Friday to Pakistani President Agha Muhammad Yahya Khan urging him to end the bloodshed in East Pakistan.

The Pakistani Army has received supplies from both China and Russia, and President Yahya obviously expected moral support from both in his attempts to end the insurrection in East Pakistan and the dispute with India.

Reports of Fighting

The Press Trust of India, meanwhile, reporting from Gauhati, in India's eastern state of Assam, said the East Pakistan freedom fighters this morning launched an offensive against West Pakistani troops at Rajshahi. A second battle has raged in the area since the fighting began.

FTI also reported that Pakistan Air Force planes carried out raids today for the second day on

Army Reassigns Black Judge

WASHINGTON, April 7 (AP)—Army Capt. Curtis R. Smothers, the only black military judge in the U.S. European command, has been reassigned to a civil-rights post in the Defense Department, the Army said yesterday.

The Army last week rejected Capt. Smothers' request for a court of inquiry into alleged racial discrimination by West German landlords against black U.S. soldiers.

Capt. Smothers, 27, returned to his European post last month after spending two weeks in Washington conferring with Defense Department and Army officials on civil-rights matters.

Cosmos-405 Orbiting

MOSCOW, April 7 (AP)—The Soviet Union today launched Cosmos-405, an unmanned satellite designed for research of an unspecified nature.



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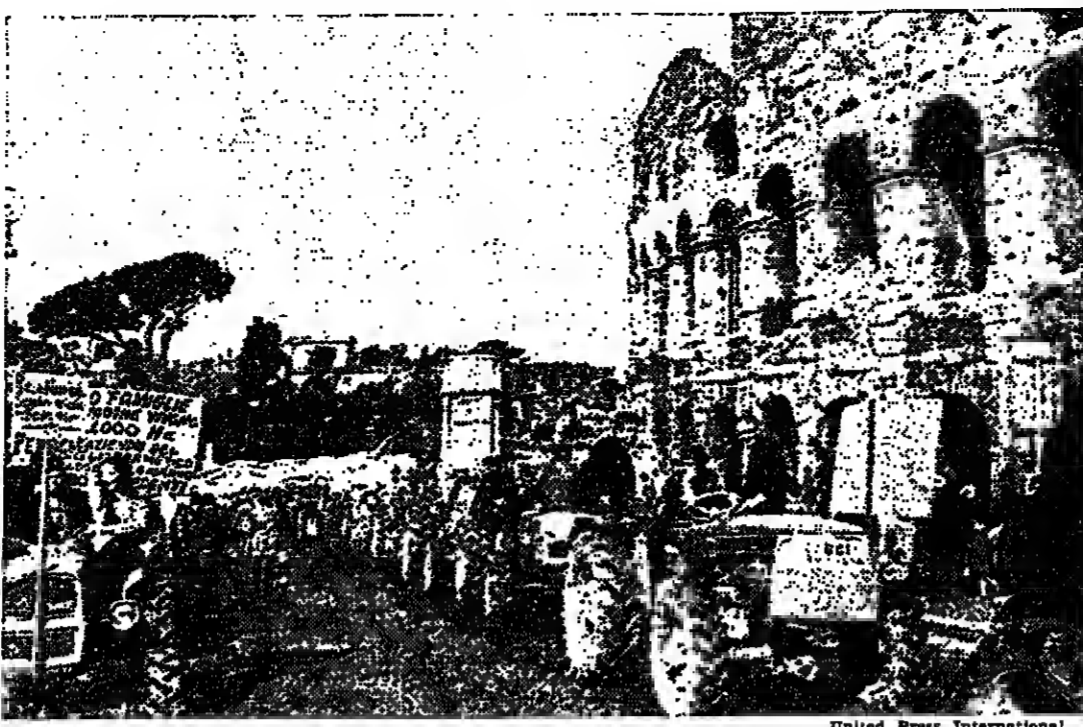
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La Boutique Danoise
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George Jensen
172 Avenue Louise, 1050 Brussels

Roma
Casa Danese-George Jensen
87 Via Francesco Crispi, Roma

Orders over \$100 can be shipped at Danish export prices.



A DAY IN THE BIG CITY—A number of Italian farmers took their tractors for a drive around the Colosseum in Rome yesterday, in a demonstration demanding greater benefits from the government. The general strike for housing reforms planned for the same time was not very successful and the Eternal City was almost normal.

1-Day Strike In Italy Has Little Impact

By Paul Hofmann

ROME, April 7 (UPI)—A one-day nationwide general strike, called by Italy's three major labor organizations, disrupted industry today but caused little hardship to the public and Eastern tourists.

Trains of the state railroad halted from noon to 2 p.m., and many urban transit systems, including Venice's municipal motorboats, stopped for two hours in the morning. Most other essential services and many businesses kept functioning in a haphazard way.

The mood suggested an anticipated Easter holiday rather than a labor fight. Stores, restaurants and espresso bars were generally open, some mail was delivered, classes were held in most schools, and government offices worked with skeleton staffs. In Rome and other cities, traffic was much lighter than on normal weekdays.

In Milan's center, stores quickly closed their shutters through the streets. A group of marchers invaded a department store shouting "Out, out!" at shopping housewives and ordered the management to close the store.

Today's strike was not over money issues. The three large trade union groups, including Communists and non-Communists, called the stoppage ostensibly as a protest against a government bill designed to spur construction of low-rent housing that they found inadequate. However, critics of the three allied union federations charged that they had staged the strike to demonstrate their muscle in dealing with the government and parliament.

Arms Impede Red Growth

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Socialists and other moderate left-of-center factions within the labor front betrayed misgivings about the strike, which was pushed by a coalition of Communists and Roman Catholic radicals.

The strike had its heaviest impact on large industrial combines, shipyards, seaports and mines. The Fiat Motor Co. stated that about half of the workers in its Turin plants stayed away today. The Pirelli Rubber Co. in Milan and other large industries in the area said that absenteeism from work was almost total. However, many medium-sized and small factories reported low percentages of strikers.

Majority Worked

Finance Minister Luigi Preti estimated last week that a day-long general strike would cost the nation between \$160 million and \$200 million in lost production. Today, government sources suggested that the actual cost may have been considerably less because the majority of Italy's labor force of nearly 20 million worked, if only lackadaisically.

Sililian Sports Protest

MESSINA, Sicily, April 7 (UPI)—Dozens of Sililian athletes angered by government delays on aid programs for sports blocked off two squares today and staged exhibitions of handball, volleyball, fencing and wrestling.

3 More Urge Independence

MOSCOW, April 7 (UPI)—Leaders of three foreign delegations made a fresh move to support independent Communist systems at today's session.

Japanese, Chilean and Belgian leaders today joined Romanian Communist party leader Nicolae Ceausescu, Italian deputy party leader Enrico Berlinguer, Yugoslav delegate Mjalko Todorovich and Spanish party leader Dolores Ibaruri in declaring other Communist states need not mirror Soviet-style Communism.

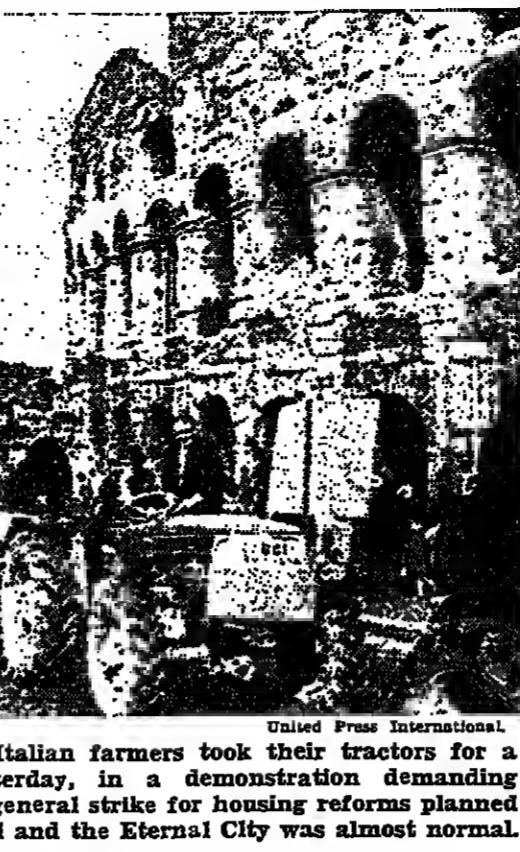
Mr. Ibaruri, in "La Pasteneria" of the Spanish Civil War, who leads the Spanish Communist party in exile from Moscow.

THE AMERICAN CHURCH IN PARIS

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Colombo Will Seek Revision Of Italian Pact With Vatican

ROME, April 7 (Reuters)—Premier Emilio Colombo today pledged the government to negotiate a revision of Italy's concordat with the Vatican, which was originally drawn up in 1929 under Pope Pius XI and Mussolini.

He told parliament that the government's main aim in negotiations, which are expected to open later this year, would be to bring the pact—which gives the Roman Catholic Church a privileged position in Italy—into line with the nation's postwar, democratic constitution.

Later tonight, the Chamber voted overwhelmingly to support Premier Colombo's recommendation that the concordat be revised rather than abolished, as some extremist leftists had demanded.

Parliament demands for revision of the pact have gained urgency since Italy legalized divorce last December. The Vatican charged that the measure breached provisions of the concordat giving church marriage regulations the force of civil law.

Most Italian politicians agree that some articles in the concordat—such as its establishment of Roman Catholic religious instruction in state schools—clash with the principle of human equality contained in the 1948 constitution.

He revealed for the first time the main points of a 200-page report produced in 1969 by an all-party government commission headed by a former Christian Democratic minister, Guido Gonella, recommending revisions to the pact.

Mr. Colombo announced the government's formal endorsement of the report.

U.S. Athletes Going to China

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far been in Japan, the 80-member Chinese delegation answered most questions from newsmen with the same response: "We are just here to make friends."

Players went out of the way to be friendly to countries with whom China has no diplomatic relations.

But today's announcement of an American visit was a surprise.

Refused to Play

Despite their professed aim to make friends, the Chinese introduced the only political issue of the championships last week when they announced refusal to meet players of South Vietnam and Cambodia. The Chinese said the players represented "puppet cliques" and were not the true representatives of the South Vietnamese and Cambodian peoples.

'Modest Additional Contact'

WASHINGTON, April 7 (Reuters)—A State Department spokesman, Charles Bray, said that exchanges of athletes would be consistent with the Nixon administration's expressed desire for greater contact between the United States and the few individual Americans who have managed to visit China.

"We regard this invitation and its acceptance by the U.S. team as a favorable development," Mr. Bray said.

The U.S. table tennis team was not officially sponsored by the government. Mr. Bray said that an invitation to a Chinese athletic group would be a matter for some private institution to make.

Given an improvement in the political climate, American companies are anxious to move into the huge Chinese consumer market. One pharmaceutical firm representative was quoted as saying recently: "There are more than 700 million Chinese and if each one needed an aspirin every now and then, that's a lot of aspirin."

U.S. War Protest

WASHINGTON, April 7 (Reuters)—Student organizations yesterday called for a day of strikes and anti-war rallies in American high schools and universities on May 5 to protest the U.S. involvement in Southeast Asia.

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Cost to U.S. Is More Than \$1 Billion

Biggest Pacification Plan Starts

By Tad Szulc

WASHINGTON, April 7 (UPI)—The most ambitious and costly pacification program yet planned for South Vietnam has been put into effect by Saigon and Washington.

Reportedly costing the United States considerably more than \$1 billion and Saigon an undisclosed sum, the 1971 Community Defense and Local Development plan would greatly expand pacification activities, which are aimed at destroying Communist subversive forces and widening self-government and development.

The 304-page plan, a copy of which was made available to The New York Times, lists as the "top priority" for the year the "neutralization" of the entrenched Viet Cong political apparatus.

Confidential Report

The authenticity of the document was confirmed by administration sources who declined to discuss the contents because of the plan's confidential character.

Already in operation since March 1, and endorsed by the American Command in Saigon, the new plan is reportedly the subject of controversy among U.S. officials, some of whom term it unrealistic and artificial.

Administration officials were unable to provide cost figures to the United States for previous pacification programs. But they said that the current plan, which is almost entirely in its military, security and civilian aspects by the Defense Department and the Central Intelligence Agency, was much more costly because of its increased scope.

Acknowledging for the first time that the activities of the Viet Cong apparatus remain a major problem in eight of South Vietnam's 44 provinces, including four in the allegedly pacified Mekong River Delta, and that South Vietnamese forces often prefer to "accommodate, rather than resist, the enemy," the plan proposes for:

Expansion of the People's Self-Defense Force—the civilian anti-guerrilla combat organization in rural areas—from 500,000 to four million. Women would be enlisted in combat units and children of both sexes over the age of seven in supporting units.

Establishment of an elaborate "peoples intelligence network" to inform on enemy activities.

Elimination in the year starting last month, through killing or capture, of 14,000 Viet Cong agents under expansion of the three-year-old Operation Phoenix, an intelligence-gathering program that is supported by the U.S. military.

The plan also seeks to complete the program of holding elections in all villages and hamlets; spur land reform by setting a goal of distributing nearly a million acres of land to farmers, and widen social benefits. This could be done by providing new assistance to 235,000 war veterans, and increasing from 49,000 to 200,000 the number of dead servicemen, 71,000 war widows and 294,000 war orphans. In addition, the plan hopes to resettle

430,000 war refugees in new homes.

Other innovations in the plan include programs for ethnic minorities and for cities where crime is increasing.

While the administration here and the Saigon government report success for pacification programs that began in 1969, some American experts question their effectiveness so far and are skeptical about the soundness of the new plan.

Their main criticism is that the whole pacification effort depends too much on the 8,000 U.S. officials and advisers in the Civil Operations and Rural Development Support Program, an agency known as theCORDS. It is the agency, which supervises projects from Operation Phoenix to rural economic programs, is chiefly made up of Defense Department and CIA employees, although it includes officials of the State Department, the Agency for International Development and the United States Information Agency.

Reports from the field indicate that CORDS officials are frequently not aware of the true state of affairs in districts and villages and that their contacts in civilian government and the police fail to carry out their tasks.

The critics raise the question of what will happen if CORDS is phased out and ask whether, as an alternative, the agency may not have to be maintained in South Vietnam indefinitely.

Philadelphia Quakers Say Nixon Denies Pacifism by His Policies

PHILADELPHIA, April 7 (UPI)—A group of Quakers today publicly questioned President Nixon's reference to himself as a committed pacifist in the tradition of his fellow Quakers.

The Philadelphia annual meeting of the Religious Society of Friends, in a letter to Mr. Nixon released today, asked him to be further distinguished in the public utterances of Friends, of this historic and deeply felt conviction.

Mr. Nixon, a Quaker, dismissed his Quaker background last month in an interview with C. L. Sulzberger of The New York Times. (The interview appeared in the International Herald Tribune on March 11.) Quakers, as members of the Society of Friends are commonly called, take part in activities for peace around the world. Many are conscientious objectors.

"You referred several times to your Quaker heritage and described yourself as 'a deeply committed pacifist,'" the letter said.

"These statements were coupled with a strong defense of present administration policies in Southeast Asia and with a commitment to continuing a major American military posture throughout the world.

"This is not our understanding of the Quaker peace testimony," the area group said.

North Vietnamese Fire Stops Saigon Troops at Firebase-6

SAIGON, April 7 (UPI)—Heavy gunfire today prevented a column of 3,000 South Vietnamese reinforcements from linking up with beleaguered Saigon forces on Firebase-6, American and South Vietnamese helicopters flew through heavy fire to bring help to the defenders.

Officers on the hilltop base said the North Vietnamese had moved an anti-aircraft unit around the base to make resupply by helicopters difficult.

Two Helicopters Lost

One American helicopter was shot down, crashing on the side of the hill near the Laotian and Cambodian borders. A second U.S. helicopter sent in to bring out wounded Saigon troops was so besieged it could not take off and was hit by one of 200 mortar and rocket rounds lobbed into the base during the battle. A South Vietnamese helicopter was damaged but escaped.

South Vietnamese officers at nearby Pleiku, in the central highlands, about 300 miles north of Saigon, said another 112 North Vietnamese were killed today by government troops supported by artillery and U.S. planes.

The latest reported losses in the eight-day battle brought North Vietnamese and Viet Cong losses to nearly 2,000 killed, South Vietnamese spokesmen said. They put Saigon losses at 73 killed and 136 wounded. Americans at the scene called the Saigon claims exaggerated. They said government casualties were in the hundreds.

A Communist defector from a unit which attacked Firebase-6 early yesterday reported the North Vietnamese there were running short of food but have plenty of ammunition and artillery shells.

Military sources said the bodies of civilians slain in the 1968 Tet offensive were uncovered 10 miles north of Hue. The defector said there were at least another 40 to 50 persons buried in the area.

Calley Prosecutor Protests Nixon's Intervention in Case

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ing that he would personally make a final determination in the case.

Sen. McGovern also criticized the President's action. In a statement, he said that Mr. Nixon had the right of review but should not have made it appear that he would exercise that right instead of acting only after a full judicial review of the situation.

However, Sen. Taft came to the President's defense. He said that Mr. Nixon had "shown courage" in deciding to have the final review of the case.

Paris Talks Resume Today

PARIS, April 7 (AP)—Communist delegations today agreed to hold a new session of the Vietnam peace talks tomorrow—the first in three weeks.

The North Vietnamese and Viet Cong had called off the session set for March 25 in a protest against American bombing of North Vietnam. The Communists proposed April 1 instead, but the Americans and South Vietnamese did not agree, without citing a reason, and proposed tomorrow.

It will be the 108th session of the deadlocked talks, and will come shortly after President Nixon's address on Vietnam.

5 Thai Soldiers Die In Battle Near Laos

BANGKOK, April 7 (Reuters)—Five Thai Army troops were killed, several wounded and eight missing in a battle for a jungle base belonging to Communist-trained Mao tribesmen, informed sources said today.

The government forces clashed with the tribesmen Monday in Toeng District, about 585 miles from Bangkok, on the border with Laos. The army attacked the base with heavy mortars, supported by Thai aircraft dropping napalm. The guerrillas abandoned the base and their casualties were not known.

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Justice Dept. Asks Probe

of Wire-Tapping Charge

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Media Dwell

In U.S. Faults

LOS ANGELES, April 7 (Reuters).—Vice President Spiro T. Agnew today sharply attacked newspapers and others who, he said, downgraded the United States.

...This attitude of 'let's tell the world how rotten we are and thus make our sins' is being drilled into our consciousness to the extent that it is becoming part of our national psyche," he said in a speech to the Chamber of Commerce here.

...Agnew gave these examples: "What he termed masochism: 'Newspapers' published an opinion poll showing that 88 percent of Americans liked the count and did not want to emigrate to the headline: '12 Percent of U.S. ...'

...Newspapers reported 294,000 American troops are in Vietnam, that President Nixon had withdrawn 265,000 in two years.

...While it was too early to assess the effect of the Vietnam-Vietnam-U.S. military operation in Laos, Life magazine did a story 'An Ignominious Disorderly Retreat,' he said.

...Assaults on FBI

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STARTED YOUNG—Horst Schenk (left) is a record breaker of sorts: He may be West Germany's youngest grandfather. But then he lost no time. He became a father at the age of 14, and his daughter, Hildegard (right), became the mother of Sven (center) at 15. Which means Horst turned grandfather when he was 29.

To an Unprecedented Fifth Straight Term

Daley Re-Elected by Landslide in Chicago

CHICAGO, April 7 (UPI).—Mayor Richard J. Daley won a landslide victory over his Republican opponent for mayor yesterday in taking an unprecedented fifth four-year term.

His margin of victory of more than 400,000 votes exceeded the estimates of his top advisers, and was close to his biggest previous victories.

The final tally for the 68-year-old Mr. Daley was 735,787, or 69.8 percent of the vote, to 318,059 votes, or 30.18 percent of the vote, for his 41-year-old opponent, Richard E. Friedman.

Mr. Daley's big victory came on a day of moderate voting. An estimated 87 percent of the eligible voters turned out.

Surprisingly, a last-minute endorsement of Mr. Friedman, an independent who ran with Republican backing, by the Rev. Jesse L. Jackson, the national director of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference's Operation Breadbasket, did little to help Mr. Friedman in black wards.

However, Mr. Friedman won in the independent and liberal fifth ward, which surrounds the University of Chicago, and won the traditionally Democratic 43d ward, in which another independent, William Singer, recently was re-elected to his second term as alderman.

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Richard Daley

Berkeley Elects 3 Radicals To Council and Black Mayor

BERKELEY, Calif., April 7 (AP).—Radicals won three of four contested city council seats in yesterday's election but failed in a bid to take control of the council. Voters also put into office a black mayor who supports radicals.

A radical-backed proposal to split the Berkeley Police Department into three departments controlled by councils in white, black and student neighborhoods was overwhelmingly rejected.

The city council now will have a 4-4 radical-moderate makeup. A ninth seat is vacant. It was occupied by Warren Williams, who resigned to run successfully for mayor, the first black man to hold that office. The new council will elect his successor.

"The people of this city have decided it's not going to be business as usual anymore. The city said we want change and we will have change," said Ira T. Simmons, 28, a black attorney and one of the three new self-styled radical councilmen.

Police Reform Still Goal

One of the radicals' first objectives will be an effort to bring the police department under greater community control, despite the defeat of such a measure in yesterday's election.

Edward Kallgren, a white attorney, was the top vote-getter among the 33 candidates for the four council seats. He describes himself as an independent liberal.

Europe Allies Meet on Defense

BRUNSSUM, the Netherlands, April 7 (Reuters).—Britain, the Netherlands, West Germany and Belgium today discussed the possibility of stationing an extra Dutch tank battalion in northern Germany during a meeting at the headquarters of Allied Forces Central Europe here.

A communiqué said the talks were attended by Lord Carrington, Helmut Schmidt of West Germany, Lt. Gen. W. van Troon of the Netherlands and the Belgian chief of general staff, Lt. Gen. G. V. R. Vivario. Also attending were the secretary-general of NATO, Manlio Brosio, the supreme Allied commander of Europe, Gen. Andrew Good-paster, and the commander of Allied forces in central Europe, Gen. J. Bennecke.

Coast Guardsmen Killed

BALTIMORE, April 7 (Reuters).—Six crew members of the Boston-based U.S. Coast Guard cutter Chase were killed yesterday when a car in which they were riding plunged over a bridge into a creek, police reported.

Price of Plane Up \$1 Million

F-14 Overrun May Cost Navy \$750 Million

WASHINGTON, April 7 (UPI).—Using costs on the swing-wing F-14 fighter, the single largest Navy program, are expected to increase each plane's price tag at least \$1 million above the \$5 million price estimated by officials early in December.

Spread over some 750 F-14s the Navy is planning to buy over the next several years, the cost increase could add more than \$750 million to the project, pushing the total cost to slightly above \$1 billion.

The Navy is now looking into negotiating its contract with Grumman, the plane's manufacturer, because of a reported annual squeeze on the Bethel, N.Y., company.

Congressional, Pentagon and other administration sources say Grumman's position is comparable in some ways to the one that brought the Lockheed Aircraft Corp. to the brink of financial disaster over the Air Force X-6A jet transport contract.

These officials add, however, defense program which, if fully enforced by the government, could cause serious financial troubles for Grumman or prevent the Navy from getting the planes it says it needs.

In his annual defense posture statement on March 9, Defense Secretary Melvin R. Laird noted that the F-14 contract was let before the Nixon administration took office and that the agreement "does not have some of the features we now believe necessary for good management control."

A Grumman spokesman said yesterday it would be inappropriate for the company to comment while the Navy is still studying the situation.

Government officials close to the project say it is virtually certain that the Grumman problem is not nearly as severe as Lockheed's.

Madison Voters Say Quit Vietnam

MADISON, Wis., April 7 (UPI).—Madison voters have given overwhelming support to a referendum that calls for an immediate cease-fire and immediate withdrawal of all United States forces from Indochina.

Voters in yesterday's election were asked to vote "yes" or "no" in the anti-war referendum. The "yes" vote prevailed by more than a 2-to-1 margin, 31,938 to 15,977.

Three years ago Madison voters defeated a similar resolution by nearly 7,000 votes. The "yes" vote yesterday was 86 percent of the total vote. In the 1968 test, support for U.S. withdrawal drew only 44 percent of the total vote.

Oklahoma City Elects Woman to Mayor's Office

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 7 (AP).—Patience Lattig was elected mayor yesterday, making Oklahoma City the most populous community in the nation with a woman mayor.

Final unofficial results showed that she polled 32,271 votes to 22,132 for Bill Bishop, who conceded defeat early last night. Both Mrs. Lattig and Mr. Bishop were members of the city council, Oklahoma City's population is 362,235.

Mrs. Lattig, a native of Oklahoma, earned her bachelor's degree in mathematics at 19 years of age, and her master's degree in economics and statistics at 20.

U.S. Selects New Envoy To Santiago

Effort to Improve Links With Allende

WASHINGTON, April 7 (UPI).—Nathaniel Davis, 46, the U.S. Ambassador to Guatemala, has been selected as the next envoy to Chile in a move that appeared designed to improve lines of communication with the Marxist regime of President Salvador Allende.

Informed sources said the Davis appointment was expected to be announced soon. He will replace Edward M. Korry who is said to have so alienated Mr. Allende that official dealings between them had become almost nonexistent.

To a number of old Latin American hands, the choice of Mr. Davis appeared eminently logical. In the words of one, Mr. Davis is not a "wave man" and will therefore be well suited to maintaining the low profile that the United States has adopted throughout Latin America, but particularly in Chile.

Considerable Experience

Mr. Davis has had considerable experience in Latin American affairs. He also served in Communist countries, as a political officer in Moscow in 1954, and then as minister to Bulgaria in 1965. He also served in the U.S. Embassy in Prague in 1947, prior to the Communist takeover.

In Santiago, Mr. Davis will have the assignment of dealing with an elected Marxist regime that has been looked upon in Washington with considerable apprehension. President Nixon said in his state of the world message that the United States was "prepared to have the kind of relationship with the Chilean government that it is prepared to have with us."

But while existing programs have continued, Chile's Export-Import Bank rating has been dropped and there is some worry about the forthcoming nationalization of a number of copper firms operating in the country. Whatever terms of compensation that will be offered are expected to affect U.S.-Chilean relations.

Cyclamate Expert Now Warns On Saccharin-Cancer Links

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 7 (UPI).—The U.S. cancer researcher who started the cyclamate alarm warned Americans yesterday to stop using saccharin because it may cause cancer of the bladder.

"It would appear prudent at this time to limit saccharin utilization to diabetic, the severely obese and others with specific medical needs," said Dr. George T. Bryan, who first identified cyclamates as a possible cause of cancer.

Before his experiments, which involved giving cyclamates and saccharin to rats who then developed cancer of the bladder, Dr. Bryan said he and his family were "copious" consumers of artificially sweetened materials.

"Now," he continued, "we have abolished the use of artificial sweeteners. The studies were compelling enough for me to remove them from my household."

Bonn Suspends General, Critic of Armed Forces

BONN, April 7 (AP).—An army general who allegedly tried to sell a magazine interview criticizing the way Chancellor Willy Brandt's government runs the West German Army was ordered today to take "temporary leave" pending the outcome of a probe into the affair.

Maj. Gen. Eicke Middeldorf, commander of the 7th Panzer Grenadier Division, which made headlines earlier this year when 30 of its captains published an attack on conditions in the army, was called to Bonn by army chief Albert Schnez today to answer allegations by the illustrated magazine Stern.

According to the Hamburg magazine, Gen. Middeldorf offered to grant it an interview on condition he receive 100,000 marks (\$27,000) "damages" if publication affected his career.

The money would be due if he were prematurely forced to end his military career without being promoted from two-star to three-star rank.

Gen. Middeldorf maintains the offer was made to the magazine by his attorney without his knowledge.

The 30 captains assailed their military superiors for allegedly misusing their power for party political purposes and carrying political favor.

Model Takes \$250,000 In Suit on Lion's Bite

NEW YORK, April 7 (AP).—A model agreed today to accept \$250,000 as settlement of a court suit involving a lion bite.

A State Supreme Court justice had given Neil Theobald, 26, ten days to accept the amount, which was half of what a jury had awarded her. The justice said that if she refused he would set aside the verdict as excessive and order a new trial.

Judge Upholds Joint Trial for Manson, 3 Others

LOS ANGELES, April 7 (AP).—Charles Manson and three members of his "family" must stand trial together for the 1969 murders of musician Gary Hinman, 34, and ranch hand Donald (Shorty) Shea, 38, a California Superior Court judge has ruled.

Attorneys for Manson, 36, Susan Atkins, 23, Bruce Davis, 27, and Steve Grogan, 19, argued that a joint trial would prejudice Miss Atkins, indicted only for the Hinman killing, and would prejudice Mr. Grogan, indicted only for the Shea murder, because evidence from one case would prejudice the other.

But Judge Raymond Choate said yesterday that the Hinman and Shea crimes were of the same class and contained common elements that merited a joint trial, which is scheduled for May 20.

Manson and Mr. Davis are accused in both slayings. Mr. Shea's body has never been found.

Muskie Urges U.S. Adopt Soviet Plan to Bar ABM

PHILADELPHIA, April 7 (AP).—Sen. Edmund S. Muskie, D., Maine, says the United States should take the initiative and break a stalemate in disarmament talks with Russia.

In a speech here, he said the strategic arms limitation talks (SALT) may end in failure unless the United States agrees to the Soviet position that a ban on defensive missile systems should precede an overall agreement.

Sen. Muskie urged President Nixon to take the first step in negotiating an agreement that would ban or limit all anti-ballistic missiles.

"Such an agreement would be in the interest of each side, and could lead to the next step, which is control of offensive weapons as well," Sen. Muskie said.

The senator is chairman of the Senate Disarmament Subcommittee.

Natives of Alaska Offered \$1 Billion For Land Claims

WASHINGTON, April 7 (Reuters).—President Nixon yesterday proposed a settlement of the land claims of 60,000 indigenous Alaskans.

He asked Congress to approve payment of \$1 billion to the Alaskan Eskimos, Indians and Aleuts—half of it for their land and half to come from government royalties on huge oil deposits recently discovered in Alaska.

Mr. Nixon in a statement called it a fair and equitable settlement of a long-deferred dispute over ownership of the vast, largely snow-covered Alaskan landmass.

But while Congress may feel the President's proposal is too generous, it does not meet fully all the demands of the Alaskans. It was, however, worked out in consultation with Alaskan leaders, who praised Mr. Nixon for it.

The \$1 billion will not go directly to the Alaskans—many of whom live in dire poverty—but will be spent by an Alaskan native corporation to improve education, health, housing, industry and sanitation.

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Bloodbath in Bengal

Washington's persistent silence on recent events in Pakistan becomes increasingly incomprehensible in the light of mounting eyewitness evidence that the Pakistani Army has engaged in indiscriminate slaughter of civilians and the selective elimination of leadership groups in the separatist state of East Bengal.

A State Department spokesman conceded Tuesday that "we would be concerned if American weapons were used in circumstances such as these." But he insisted that the United States has no first-hand knowledge that American tanks and other weapons are being used. This is sophistry. Only last month the secretary of state, in his annual foreign policy report, noted that this country had agreed to sell additional equip-

ment to the Pakistanis "for their largely U.S.-equipped army."

On any basis, the United States would have a humanitarian duty to speak out against the bloodbath in Bengal. But, as Pakistan's chief arms supplier, this country has a double obligation: to declare its disapproval of the tactics employed and to make clear that no additional American arms—including spare parts—will be sent to Pakistan until this savage repression is stopped.

America's own interests call for it to do everything possible to help bring a speedy end to a civil conflict that could touch off a chain reaction of communal strife throughout the Indian subcontinent, with grave international implications.

THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Greatest of Composers

By common consent, Igor Stravinsky was the greatest living composer. He was the last of the heroic group that flourished in the early part of the century—a group that included such composers as Bela Bartok, Sergei Prokofiev, Arnold Schoenberg, Anton Webern, Ralph Vaughan Williams. All of them helped shape the course of music. But of them all there was, in the period from about 1910 to 1940, no shaper like Stravinsky. After his "Petrouchka" of 1911 and his "Sacra du Printemps" of 1913, music could no longer be the same.

For decades one could hear in world music echoes of the famous polytonal chord in "Petrouchka" and the savage rhythmic innovations of "Le Sacre." What Wagner's "Tristan und Isolde" was to the last half of the 19th century, "Le Sacre du Printemps" was to the first third of the 20th. No composer, not even the great ones of the period, could escape its influence. Then came Stravinsky's neo-classic period, and again he was the leader in a new kind of musical thought.

In recent years, world music has shifted somewhat from Stravinsky's concepts. That was to be expected, for every age has its own aesthetic. Stravinsky himself embraced the Schoenberg-Webern dodecaphonic theories toward the end of his life. But his greatest work had come earlier. What Stravinsky always will represent in music is craft, technique, logic, proportion, rhythm. Above all, rhythm.

One of the most personal and idiosyncratic of all composers, a creator with unusual intellectual strength, an orchestra technician for excellence, he was in his day the most modern of the moderns. The man himself was like his music—terse, pithy, possessed of a steel-trap mind and a tart tongue. His witty, often malicious *opergius* make delightful reading. Stravinsky was a seminal figure, and that alone attests to his strength and assures his immortality. No minor composer in history has ever put his mark on the age. Only the major ones do.

THE NEW YORK TIMES.

International Opinion

Heath's Travels

Spring is lovely in Paris, and that's where Mr. Edward Heath ought to be, for the West Germans can't help us to get into the Common Market. Nothing happens inside the Common Market without the French agreeing. By playing hard to get, Mr. Heath will only strengthen President Pompidou's suspicion that Britain is not serious about joining.

Britain and France must speak directly and plainly to each other at the highest level. For after ten years and two shattering rebuffs we still do not know what France really intends. The poor British public is still in the dark. We have decimal money, we are moving over to the European value-added tax. At this rate we shall be driving on the right and nibbling Continental breakfasts with nothing to show for it.

—From the Daily Mail (London).

Mr. Heath has chosen his visit to West Germany to raise the level of debate about Britain's entry into the European Common Market. He was undoubtedly right to do so. For too long now the Brussels discussions have centered on technical details and there has been a real danger that sight would be lost of the great political issues at stake.

Britain's financial contribution to the Community's budget, New Zealand's dairy exports, and Caribbean sugar are all problems of great importance, for which satisfactory solutions must be found if Britain is to become a member. But the will to find these solutions will go by default if the governments, parliaments and peoples involved in the negotiations believe that British membership does not have much wider implications, both for this country and an enlarged community.

—From the Financial Times (London).

It needs to be emphasized that Britain is not seeking any special favors here or any other member of the Six. Britain has accepted the rules and regulations of the Community. What is under discussion is the transition period, under which a prospective member adjusts to the new system. As Mr. Heath pointed out Tuesday, Britain has made its proposals clear and it is now up to the Six to give their answer.

This answer will, as he said, require a great effort from the Six. And it is in this internal debate of the Community, intricate and technical as it so often is, that Germany's influence needs to be brought to bear. It is essential that the Six act in a generous spirit, that is in the wider Euro-

pean interest, and not in any narrow, selfish way. Herr Brandt, who saw enlargement of the Community as its overriding objective when the Six met at The Hague to decide their future, is the statesman to instill this spirit.

—From the Times (London).

The Cairo-Amman Axis

Relations between Cairo and Amman have deteriorated. President Sadat has made considerable advances in his negotiating position with Israel. He has also established a dialogue with President Nixon, which has made King Hussein's role as the Arabs' front man for contact with the West unnecessary. Hussein is keen to insure that, if a separate Israel-Egyptian agreement were to come about, he would at least be in control of his kingdom. President Sadat has at the same time preserved the close links that existed between his predecessor and Yasser Arafat.

As an investment against failure in negotiations he has called a meeting to discuss the Palestinians and given them back the use of their radio in Cairo. It is argued that, as long as the chances of a settlement remain remote, this ambivalence in Egyptian policy is negligible.

—From the Guardian (London).

Pakistan's Civil War

Probably the outside world can marshal a strong opinion against the senseless killing that is going on, even if it abstains from passing judgment on the merits of the political positions of the warring halves. Simply because we, too, are humans, we cannot simply watch the Pakistanis kill each other. We have to persuade them to come to terms short of force of arms.

—From the Manila Bulletin.

Chile's Elections

When the world's first democratically elected Marxist state appeared in Chile under President Allende five months ago—on a one-third minority vote with sporting assistance from the anti-Marxist Christian Democrats—the big question was how long it would remain democratic. Paradoxical though it may appear, the near 50 percent endorsement that Dr. Allende has now achieved in local elections increases the case for misgivings. It is clear that, hampered by existing institutions in his crash program for a "people's democracy," he was looking to these election results to provide what he would interpret as a mandate to seek wider powers in a plebiscite. Even without special powers Dr. Allende has moved fast enough.

—From the Daily Telegraph (London).

In the International Edition

Seventy-Five Years Ago

April 8, 1896

MADRID—The leading article in the *Imparcial* today scolds the Spanish people for their lack of spirit against the attitude of the American Congress. It asserts that "the danger still exists, perhaps greater now than ever before," and that the Spanish resentment to an insult seemed to exhaust itself in a few demonstrations in the street before the American Consulate and to disappear with the ashes of the four burned flags.

Fifty Years Ago

April 8, 1921

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Marshal Foch will be invited to attend the annual convention of the American Legion at Kansas City on October 31, and the United States government will place a naval vessel at his disposal to bring him back to France after his visit. As soon as this news was made public, the Chamber of Commerce of Kansas City voted to raise \$100,000 for the event and underwrite all expenses.



Nixon and Muskie on Abortion

By James Reston

NEW YORK.—In the ten years since John F. Kennedy became the first Roman Catholic to be elected to the presidency, religious issues have almost ceased to be a major source of political controversy in the United States, but the two front-runners in the 1972 presidential election are acting early to avoid trouble over the question of legalized abortion.

Since New York State's liberalized abortion law went into effect last July, Gordon Chase, New York City's health-services administrator, reports that 97,881 legal abortions have taken place in New York City alone, over half of them on women from out of state.

This steep rise in the abortion rate brought from the 30 Roman Catholic bishops of New York State a warning in a pastoral letter that "the church disowns by immediate excommunication any Catholic who deliberately procures an abortion or helps someone else to do so."

The letter condemned "abortionists" and "their death-dealing trade" and added: "They even advertise their monstrous commerce beyond the confines of the state, thus making New York the abortion capital of America."

Sen. Edmund Muskie, the leading Democratic candidate for the presidency, and himself a Roman Catholic, was the first to react to the political implications of this issue, and was soon followed by President Nixon himself.

Draws a Distinction

Muskie took the opportunity in an interview with David Frost on the Westinghouse Broadcasting Company's network to draw a distinction between his support of birth control as a means of family planning and his anxiety over legalized abortion after coming into office. He said he believed in birth control, thought people ought to have government information on the subject so that they could make their own decisions, and added that he hoped the Pope's next encyclical on birth control takes a more liberal attitude toward the birth control "pill."

"The question of abortion does trouble me," he said. "I suppose it's related to my religious training or my church training, but I think it's broader than that. I'm concerned about diluting in any way the concept of the sanctity of life...."

"First of all, we're not entirely sure of the psychological impact upon mothers themselves who become free or indiscriminate in the use of this way of avoiding the consequences of sexual relations...."

Nixon's Stance

"A life has been taken away from them, and it's the very nature of motherhood, you know, to shield and protect life, not to destroy it.... If it becomes all right to take a life in that stage, then how easy will it be to slip into the next step. Should people in old age who are senile—does it then become legitimate to take their lives? And there is the medical question of when does life begin to quicken. That, I guess, is about six weeks.... It's when you get beyond that point that I begin to have trouble...."

A few days later, Nixon went

even further. "From personal and religious beliefs I consider abortion an unacceptable form of population control," he said, in a formal statement. "Further, unrestricted abortion policies, or abortion on demand, cannot square with my personal belief in the sanctity of human life—including the life of the unborn...."

"A good and generous people," he added, "will not opt, in my view, for this kind of alternative to its social dilemmas. Rather, it will open its hearts and its homes to the unwanted children of its own, as it has done for the unwanted millions of other lands...."

"We all there seem to be all kinds of different views about 'the sanctity of life' these days, in Vietnam as well as in New York City, but even in the more liberal political views on religious questions these days, it is clear that abortion could easily become an issue for many voters in 1972."

Nixon More Explicit

Muskie apparently wanted to set his views on record early in the campaign and devoted more time on the Frost show to defining his positions on birth control and abortion than to any other subject.

Clearly he is opposed to abortion merely as a means of helping reduce the welfare rolls, or at least he told Frost that this concept "troubled" him. Nixon, however, was even more explicit in opposing all abortion at any time in pregnancy in order to control population.

"Ours is a nation with a Judeo-Christian heritage," he said. "It is also a nation with serious social problems—problems of malnutrition, of broken homes, of poverty and delinquency. But none of these problems justifies such a solution."

Thus Nixon went closer to the strict prohibition on abortion for population control outlined by the Roman Catholic bishops than did Muskie, and though neither statement was much noticed, it is just as well to have them clearly on record, for the question is sure to come up time and again as the campaign proceeds.

"I welcomed Mr. Frost's question," Muskie said, "and have used my answer to him in order to answer people who have written for my views on the subject."

A Splitting Headache

By Joseph Kraft

WASHINGTON.—East Pakistan is shaping up as one of the world's long-term trouble spots, and one way or another the great powers, including the United States, are almost certain to be drawn into what may become a major redrawing of the Asian map.

But, for once, this country does not have to take the leading role. It can, usefully, play second fiddle to the Soviet Union.

The source of all the trouble is written on the map. A thousand miles of foreign territory separate East from West Pakistan. Except in religion, the Bengalis who dominate in East Pakistan are different in every way from the Punjabis who dominate West Pakistan. They do not even speak the same language.

For two decades tension between the two halves of Pakistan was held in check by the unusually strong leadership and strong army of West Pakistan. But the string has now run out. The last elections in East Pakistan yielded a secessionist majority under Sheikh Mujib of the Awami League. Negotiations between him and the strong man of West Pakistan, Gen. Yahya Khan, got nowhere.

The Army Attacks

Gen. Yahya decided to settle the argument with blood. His army struck suddenly, decapitated the Awami League, and shot up the main cities of East Pakistan. But though force had its day, it did not achieve a decisive win. Local resistance seems to be gathering force. Insurgency and civil war are just around the corner. West Pakistan cannot hold East Pakistan at gunpoint forever. The more so as so many foreigners are involved.

India first of all. Potent economic and ethnic ties link East Pakistan to the neighboring Indian state of West Bengal. The

Letters

The Calley Furor Continued

The Calley-Nixon scandal with respect to American war crimes in Vietnam points out the intolerable situation of investigation, prosecution and jurisdiction of war crimes in American law at present. The military (including the President as commander-in-chief) are the sole judges as to whether war crimes may have been committed, whether an investigation is to be made, whether prosecution is sought, or quashed, whether the judgment of a court is accepted or not. The obvious thing is that the President, before the appeal process has even begun, announces that he reserves to himself the ultimate decision regarding the guilt and sentence of someone convicted of war crimes.

Both those who morally condemn this particular war and those who justify it ought to agree that the rule of law must be sustained and strengthened over the activities of the U.S. military in wartime. A big step forward in doing this would be to take war crimes investigation, prosecution and jurisdiction away from the military and out of the reach of the President. What the United States now urgently needs is what the Allies forced on the Federal Republic of Germany: (1) an independent federal agency to investigate and prosecute war crimes, and (2) civilian jurisdiction of war crimes cases, with built-in guarantees that the courts would be free both from military and executive influence and pressure.

(The Rev.) PAUL E. HOFFMAN, Geneva.

I was interested in Mrs. Julian Peck's letter of April 5 regarding Lt. Calley. In one sentence, she dismisses the admission of his killing babies on the ground that in the U.S. some abortions are legal. Is this really an apt parallel? Or a justification? I'm not going to argue abortion, pro or con. I'm interested in Calley and what he represents to us Americans. Agreed, he's a scapegoat, a sacrifice to public opinion—in two directions now that Mr. Nixon has pulled him from jail to mollify the very voters he previously was put on trial supposedly to mollify. The fact remains, this man killed babies. And toothless old women. And frail-looking old men.

THOMAS R. BRANSTEN, Grand-Saconnex, Switzerland.

May I ask my American friends to hold their heads a little higher over the appalling disgrace of My Lai and Lt. Calley? The fact is that no other country in the world would have dared such a horror in so public a fashion, and so thoughtless a manner, and against its evident immediate interests, as the U.S. has done.

SAM WHITE, Paris.

The massive public reaction to the Calley verdict is astonishing. Many persons have advocated, not that the officer be pardoned for a crime, but that he should be commended for a laudable action. By his own published testimony and in the judgment of his brother officers, Lt. Calley is guilty of a most atrocious, illegal, and unmitigated act, repugnant to all who cherish and defend the best traditions of our Western culture, especially shameful in the sight of all men with the right to call themselves soldiers.

Whether Lt. Calley should be punished extremely is a complex ethical question. The ultimate penalty, to encourage *les autres* (as was said of Byng), may be thought on appeal to be unwise or un-Christian. But any magnanimous impulse to mitigate the just sentence imposed should not confuse our proper condemnation of the brutal and cowardly act which has occasioned it. It is generous and often correct to pardon a criminal; it is immoral and risky to pardon a criminal.

JOHN CAMPBELL, Paris.

Once upon a time, a German named Adolf Eichmann was hanged for the slaughter of untold defenseless innocents. Suppose he had been sentenced by a German, not an Israeli court. Is it not a safe bet that the German president, faced with a public outcry, would have pardoned the crime? Eichmann was, after all, merely carrying out orders from above? Perhaps the latter-day Eichmann named William Calley should have been sent to Helms for trial.

ABDERRAHMANS MOUSSA, Faculty of Law, Algiers University.

The intervention of President Nixon into the Calley verdict and appeal process raises a number of questions that the editorials in the issue of April 5 consider. If my memory serves me correctly, the President also intervened at the time the My Lai events were first publicized by stating that there was no doubt that "murder" was committed at My Lai. Is my memory correct or not?

V. L. COOPER, Paris.

At a press conference on Dec. 8, 1969, Mr. Nixon said, in connection with the My Lai case, "what appears to me to have happened" was "certainly a massacre...."

After the conviction of Lt. Calley for killing Vietnamese civilians at My Lai, a certain Mrs. Ellidge Grochot shouted: "Lt. Calley killed 100 Communists, didn't he? He should get a medal; he should be promoted general." Press reports said she spoke "in a harsh German accent."

During World War II, the SS "Das Reich" Division killed hundreds of civilians at Oradour-sur-Glane (France) because they were "bolshévika." It seems to me that 25 years after the fall of the Third Reich, Nazism is not yet dead, even inside the country that fought it so hard.

CHAS. WILLYN MINNE, Viry-Chatillon, France.

My reaction to U.S. public support of Lt. William Calley is one of extreme anger and disgust. I fall to see how people can idolize a killer of old men, women and children. Never before has the desire to reject America as my country been so manifest.

DAVID LITTF, Lugano, Switzerland.

After reading the letters in the Herald Tribune (April 3-4) concerning Lt. Calley I am more than glad that yesterday I wrote and called a letter to Major Harvey Brown, one of the jurors in the Calley trial. The two letters restore my faith in a portion, at least, of the American public. To serve as jurors in that trial could not be anything but an agonizing ordeal, and those officers have my complete sympathy.

MARION VESSELL, Palma de Mallorca, Spain.

Having read with interest in your April 5 edition of the new pop-song hit, "Battle Hymn of Lieutenant Calley," I can foresee the rehabilitation of many other maligned patriots in the near future—and their immortalization in verse. How is this for a start?

A soldier for my Country, Adolf Eichmann was my name, I tried to do my duty, But they hanged me just the same.

All I did was follow orders, So they gave me all the blame. My soul goes marching on!

PAUL BRINDWICK, Palma de Mallorca, Spain.

Mideast Changes

Memories are unbelievably short. I refer to James Reston's column of March 14 in which he chides Israel for its insistence on "geographical security" and states: "Israel will have to choose between its territorial demands and the support of the United States...."

Hopeless, I suppose, at such trying moments to remember the Biblical entreaty "Put not your trust in princes." It would be helpful if Mr. Reston would remember what he himself wrote on June 11, 1967: "Israel had the courage of our marching camp and Washington has been saved because the Israelis didn't follow our advice."

MARIANNE ZEITLIN, Rochester, N.Y.

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French Regime Is Assailed
in Student Disorder Policy

By James Goldsborough
PARIS, April 7.—The government and Prime Minister Jacques Chaban-Delmas came under attack from both opposition and student groups in the last 24 hours for cracking down on student disorder that led this week to the closing of the Ecole Normale Supérieure, one of the elite colleges.

fresh criticism fueled the fire that has been building up some time, and worried Chaban-Delmas, who has been in the most difficult position since 1968.

Yesterday's meeting of the National Assembly brought Chaban-Delmas under fire from some Gaullist and some Communist circles.

Several unusual reports have been circulating in usually well-informed circles indicating that the prime minister was fed up with his amorphous position sandwiched in between president and party and lacking authority with both.

The prime minister did not reply to his critics yesterday, but said he would answer them in the major speech before the National Assembly April 20.

Curiously, the government issued a statement following today's cabinet meeting indicating that Mr. Pompidou had directed all members of the government to offer the prime minister "suggestions" for the speech.

It seems clear that most of the "suggestions" will be to increase police action. Interior Minister Raymond Marcellin said last week that both Mr. Pompidou and he desire a "hardening" of law enforcement to deal with the growing disorder.

Planes, Armor Smash Rebels, Ceylon Reports
COLOMBO, Ceylon, April 7 (Reuters).—Air force planes and armored columns today smashed bands of armed insurgents as the country fought to overcome a nationwide terrorist emergency, the government announced.

Turkish Assembly Backs Premier
ANKARA, April 7 (AP).—Facing the threat of a military takeover, Turkey's assembly today gave a vote of confidence to the government headed by Premier Nihat Erim.

Bonn and Warsaw Sign Trade Accords
BONN, April 7 (Reuters).—Poland and West Germany today signed trade accords for 1971 in Warsaw, the Foreign Office announced here.



AYES HAVE IT—Israeli Premier Golda Meir (center) raising her hand at the Labor party meeting during the vote approving her foreign policy and security resolution.

Endorses Stand of Mrs. Meir
Israel Party Backs Ban on Total Pullout

TEL AVIV, April 7 (AP).—Israel's ruling Labor party last night demanded "substantial changes" in the pre-1967 Mideast war borders between Israel and the Arab states.

In a resolution emanating from its three-day convention, the party endorsed Premier Golda Meir's policy of refusal to withdraw totally from captured Arab land.

Obituaries
Bert Gildea, 56, Novelist; Author of 'Hurry Sundown'

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 7 (NYT).—Bert Gildea, 56, who with his wife, Katy, formed the writing team of K. B. Gildea, which produced the best-selling novel 'Hurry Sundown' in 1965, died Sunday of a heart attack in Bridgeport General Hospital.

Sen. Salvatore Manniroti NUORO, Sardinia, April 7 (Reuters).—Sen. Salvatore Manniroti, 70, Christian Democratic minister for the merchant marine in Italy's three-party coalition government, died early today at his home in this central Sardinian town.

Go-Slow Tactics Threaten Easter Trains for Britons
LONDON, April 7 (AP).—Britons faced the threat of a transport snarl over the Easter holiday weekend as train drivers continued a go-slow and overtime ban.

Chrysler Calls Back 65,000 Cars, Trucks
DETROIT, April 7 (UPI).—More than 65,000 Chrysler Corp. passenger cars and trucks will be recalled for inspection and possible replacement of defective parts, the company reported to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration yesterday.

Quake Jolts Italian Town
ROME, April 7 (UPI).—Two earthquake shocks awakened the 6,000 residents of the town of Palombara Sabina, 25 miles northeast of Rome, early today.

Duvalier to Appear in Public April 14
PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, April 7 (AP).—Haitian President François Duvalier, rumored to have been felled by a stroke, is scheduled to preside at a military parade April 14, the day he will turn 64, a government official said today.

Health Back in Britain
LONDON, April 7 (UPI).—Prime Minister Edward Heath arrived home early today from his talks in Bonn with West German Chancellor Willy Brandt.

U.K. Beaches An Heir to Conan Doyle Estate Threatened by Huge Oil Leak
Ship Sunk in Channel Source of Pollution

LONDON, April 7 (AP).—The British government reported tonight that large quantities of oil are leaking from a sunken ship in the English Channel, threatening to pollute southeast coast beaches for the Easter holidays.

The last day for offers was May 7, the result to be announced May 31.

James Earl Ray's Brother Is Convicted
ST. LOUIS, April 7 (Reuters).—John Larry Ray, brother of James Earl Ray, the convicted killer of civil-rights leader Martin Luther King, has been found guilty here of taking part in a \$53,000 bank robbery.

Suicide at Eiffel Tower
PARIS, April 7 (Reuters).—An 18-year-old Frenchman jumped to his death from the Eiffel Tower last night—the second such death in less than two weeks.

Iranian General Critically Hurt in Ambush at Home
TEHRAN, April 7 (Reuters).—Maoist guerrillas today machine-gunned and critically wounded Gen. Ziauddin Farsio, chairman of Iran's military tribunals, while he was leaving his house with his 16-year-old son, government officials reported.

East Berlin to Double Phone Lines to West
BONN, April 7 (Reuters).—East Germany is to double the number of telephone lines between the two parts of divided Berlin to 20, probably tomorrow, government sources said here today.

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Music in France

At Royan, Modern Works From East Europe

By David Stevens

ROYAN, France, April 7.—The avant-garde music of Eastern Europe is the basic theme of the seven heavily scheduled days of the Eighth Festival of Contemporary Art, which is now jarring this Atlantic resort town to seasonal life.

Every contemporary festival is to some extent a trip into the unknown, and that aspect is emphasized here this year because, to varying degrees, this kind of music lives in something of an artistic ghetto in Communist countries. In contrast to the favored position the modernists have enjoyed since the war in Western Europe.

But at the same time there are plenty of known quantities. Poland and Yugoslavia have long been open to the post-Webern winds from the West, and many of the composers from these countries have been spending some or all of their time in the West and speak the same musical language with little or no national accent.

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But the Soviet Union remains a stronghold of ideological direction in the arts, so one of the programs that attracted a large and interested audience was the recital by a young and lovely Soviet pianist, Irina Ermakova, who played works by four of her compatriots.

According to the information available here, none of the composers on her program is over 30. Three of the four are themselves pianists (like a great Russian tradition) and three of the four are said to be members of the Union of Soviet Composers, the guardian of official priorities in music, although none is known to a large public in Russia, let alone elsewhere.

The four works heard here—by Victor Suslin, Alexander Rabinovich, Alfred Schnittke and Sofia Gubaidulina—were more interesting than those usually sent officially abroad by Moscow to represent contemporary Russian music. Yet, despite the use of certain modern devices, they were all recognizably Russian—Miss Gubaidulina's Sonata No. 2 being particularly striking in its Prokofiev-like vitality.

This impression was seconded by the first performance of her "Concordanza," part of a program given by the Prague ensemble Musica Viva Pragensis, a group of ten outstanding string, wind and percussion players that was created about ten years ago and has traveled extensively in Western Europe, although at home, apparently, performs more for radio and recordings than in the concert hall. The rest of the ensemble's program—including work by its directors, Zbyněk Seifert and Marek Kopelent—included some rather dry excursions into combining taped and live segments. The audience seemed particularly to enjoy Ekelemer's piece for actress, film, tape, lighting and instrumental ensemble, which relied more on movement and a semi-theatrical atmosphere than on music for its effect.

But the most remarkable event of the festival's opening days, under the title of "Free Jazz," was the introduction of jazz to the Royan program for the first time, and in a highly unusual form.

The event was a concert by the Celestial Communication Orchestra, a multinational group of 20-odd instrumentalists and about twice as many instruments, headed by Alan Silva, who has played the bass and other string instruments with Sun Ra and other modern jazz men. What the orchestra played, a creation of Silva's called "My Country," went on for two and a half hours without an intermission. Almost all the audience was there to cheer at the end, and occasionally during the marathon.

The orchestra has most of the standard jazz instruments, but its basic sound is determined by three bass fiddles, alternately plucked and bowed, and seven saxophonists playing a total of a dozen saxes ranging from soprano down to baritone. There were also an electric organ, vibes, gongs, a French horn and a bugle. Silva, a tall, thin young man with a wispy beard, conducted with graceful up-and-down motions that occasionally took him off the floor, or in sweeping side-to-side motions, or by holding up finger signals—apparently referring to sections of the scores that many of the

players had before them. Occasionally he leaped from one place to another to play a harp, a xylophone, a violin (held between his legs and played with a bass-fiddle bow); or to activate a couple of amplified electronic noise producers.

Super Session

The result was a kind of super-jam session, whose basic contents would have been familiar to any jazz lover in a mixture of composed and improvisational

elements. Add there was a definite ebb and flow from massive crescendos to extended solos by some very accomplished performers (the first, a dazzling flight on the piccolo by Becky Friend, the orchestra's only girl, did not come until an hour had gone by) to some elaborate wind serenades.

The time seemed to flow by easily for most of the audience. One of the bass players, who almost never stopped, said afterward that on a good night he

could go four to five hours without feeling it until the session was over. Perhaps another of the answers is to be found in the reply by one of the sax players, at an overly serious formal discussion the next day, to the question of what this group's music owed to bebop.

"There are more important questions," said the musician, "such as what kind of life there is on other planets or what other realities there are besides the one most people live in."



Hermine Karagheuz, Francis Huster, Michèle Moretti in "La Nuit des Assassins."

Roger Blin's Tour de Force

By Thomas Quinn Curtiss

PARIS, April 7.—Roger Blin is a director of exceptional vision. Judging from the available evidence, he must be the most perceptive play reader in France.

It was he who brought Samuel Beckett into the theater, giving "En Attendant Godot" its initial production (in 1952 at the Théâtre de Babylone). Only he saw the stage possibilities in Genet's "Les Paravents," which, in manuscript was so lengthy and meandering that it would have required seven hours to perform. Blin prepared an acting version of the sprawling text and mounted it memorably at the Théâtre de France. It proved the outstanding event of the Parisian theater in the 1960s as the production of "En Attendant Godot" had been the most famous production of the 1950s.

Three seasons ago Blin happened on a macabre Cuban melodrama, "Les Nonnes" by Manet, and made it into a fascinating spectacle. Now, taking another play of Cuban authorship, "La Nuit des Assassins" by José Triana, he has worked strange magic upon it at the Théâtre Récamier.

The play is not new here. It was performed by a Havana company (in Spanish) at the Théâtre des Nations festival not long ago. Obviously inspired by Genet's "Les Nonnes," it is a dark tale of smoldering resentments and thwarted desires. In a dusty attic, three adolescents—two girls and a boy—act out their lurid dreams which culminate with the simulated murder of their parents.

The script, keyed monotonously in the range of high hysteria, is basically nothing but a neo-Grand Guignol shocker elongated. But Blin, sensing its theatrical potentials, lifted it out and above itself, so to speak, dramatizing the situations compellingly. The air is electric with hatred, as the children, depicting their elders, dispute, rage and put one another on mock trial. Blin has succeeded in maintaining suspense through the two long acts. From his three young players—Michèle Moretti, Hermine Karagheuz and Francis Huster—he has drawn performances remarkable for their biting high tension. The result of his directorial artistry and invention is a smashing tour de force.

Blin is a disciple of the great Antonin Artaud, whom he served as an assistant. He practices in his productions what his master

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taught. Artaud, prophet of the Theater of Cruelty, whose lonely voice was little heeded during his lifetime, increases in stature in retrospect.

Other recommended plays in Paris:

- "Un Sale Egoïste" (at the Antoine), Françoise Dorin's light comedy about a selfish bachelor and his merited comeuppance with Paul Meurice as the lone wolf and with Michel Rux as his admiring domestic.
- "Ne Réveille pas Madame," the latest Jean Anouilh play, a brilliant satirical tragicomedy about theater life with François Périer as a dedicated actor-manager and with Luce Garcia-Ville as his troublesome ex-star mother (at the Comédie des Champs-Élysées).
- "L'Indes Châchées le Bronx," "Surre d'Org," the Laurent Terzieff program of two translated Israel Horowitz plays (at the Gaîté-Montparnasse).
- "Hadrian VII" (at the Théâtre de Paris), a stunning production

of the English play about a Chelsea scribbler who dreams that he has been elected pope. A fine performance by Claude Rich as the hapless Baron Corvo.

"Les Bonshommes" (at the Palais-Royal), another comedy by Miss Dorin, notable for the presence of Edwige Fenech as a lady retired from love's skirmishes and for that of Michel Serrault as an abandoned husband who seeks mothering.

"L'Idiot" (at the Saint-Georges), a sprightly revival of Marcel Achard's comedy revolving about a murder case (Simenon provided the details) with Dany Carrel of the cinema as the fancy-free chambermaid whose past is investigated by the police.

"La Guerre de Troie n'aura pas lieu" (at the Théâtre de la Ville), an excellent revival of the Giraudoux classic.

"La Voyante," by André Roussin at the Marigny, starring Elvire Popesco.

Music in Italy

An Untranslated "Wozzeck"

By William Weaver

MILAN, April 7.—Alban Berg's "Wozzeck" is not a rarity in Italian opera houses, but it is not exactly a repertory work, either. Its first performance in Italy was at the Rome Opera, in 1942, where artistic director and conductor Tullio Serafin courageously mounted it, despite Berg's position as a "degenerate" artist banned by Italy's Nazi allies. After the war, "Wozzeck" was done first in Naples (in 1949), and then finally at La Scala, under Mitropoulos, in 1952.

All these productions were in Italian translation (starring Tito Gobbi, in a superb interpretation). Now, at last, "Wozzeck" has arrived at La Scala in the original German text. The first performances, a week or more ago, were sung by Gerd Nienstedt (in the title role) and the highly-applauded Evelyn Lear (Marie).

Now they have been replaced by a second series of performances by baritone Tony Blankenheim and the young, unknown American soprano Alexandra Hunt.

Miss Hunt is apparently a discovery of La Scala's musical director, Claudio Abbado, who is conducting this "Wozzeck." On the basis of this debut hearing, one would suspect that she is a valuable find. The voice is small, whitish, but she is an accurate musician and a moving actress. In the Bible-reading scene, just before Marie's death, she was particularly, touchingly effective; and her fragile prettiness made her an excellent foil for Blankenheim's massive, earth-bound (and equally moving) soldier.

Abbado has been heard at La Scala chiefly in the Italian repertory ("Lucia," the "Barber," "Don Carlos"); a previous venture into the 20th century—Stravinsky's "Oedipus Rex"—did not lead to happy results. This "Wozzeck," however, was impressive. At the opposite pole from Blin's familiarly warm, almost romantic conception, Abbado gave us a stark, essential reading that was still profoundly human. The orchestra was clear, precise, and restrained; the vast Scala actually seemed—and sounded like—a chamber theater.

The production was designed by Prague's Josef Svoboda, and like all his productions, it sets largely determined the staging (signed, in this case, by Karel Jernek). The lower half of the sides of the stage were covered with a metallic mirroring material. Above this reflecting screen, projections—clouds, brick wall, a pocked lunar landscape—could be seen. At one point, the rear mirror became miraculously transparent to reveal the Drum Major leading his band. Only the barest props were used: Marie's bed, a door, the doctor's chair. The mirror-walls frequently created a feeling of broad, empty space, a desolation that framed and deepened the drama.

As usual, much attention was given to the smaller roles. Herbert Handt was outstanding as the Captain, and Josef Hopferwieser was a good Andrea.

Rolling Stones Sign With U.S. Company

LONDON, April 7 (UPI)—Mick Jagger and Kinney Services Inc. announced today they have reached agreement granting the U.S. company worldwide rights to recordings by the Rolling Stones to be released under the label of the British rock band.

Sources close to the Rolling Stones said the agreement involved several million dollars but declined to discuss the exact amount.

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Bundesbank Faults U.S. Over Payments Deficit

FRANKFURT, April 7 (AP-DJ). — The Bundesbank today expressed serious concern about the persistent deficit in the U.S. balance-of-payments...

On the basic balance, the Bundesbank noted, "It has become difficult for non-specialists to estimate correctly the trend of the American payments deficit on the basis of official statistics."

Treasury Offer Oversubscribed

WASHINGTON, April 7 (AP-DJ). — The U.S. Treasury announced today that its \$1.5 billion offering of 3 1/2 percent, three-month Treasury notes was oversubscribed by 15 percent of each subscription.

The Treasury said it accepted 55 percent of each subscription. The certificates of indebtedness are designed to provide an investment outlet for the United States for Eurodollars which otherwise might find their way into European central banks, exacerbating the dollar-glut problem overseas.

Dollar Rises, Rates Adjust in Europe

LONDON, April 7.—The U.S. dollar strengthened in most European foreign exchange markets today as interest rate rises took hold and speculative pressure waned.

The session was viewed as a test of whether last week's dollar would mount because it had seen heavy hedging by dealers fearing monetary changes over the long term, weekend. But no pressure developed.

In the foreign exchange market, the deutsche mark, which has been the recipient of the bulk of the flow of "hot" money into Europe, was below the permissible level and the Swiss franc also slid lower.

Frankfurt, the dollar strengthened late in the day to 327 1/2 DM after having closed slightly below the Bundesbank's mandatory support point of 327.

All rates for the dollar moved to an average 5.5 percent, the comparable DM rate to 4 7/8 percent. Yes, both rates were near 5 percent and before then the DM had been considerably higher than on the dollar.

Mr. Moeller said he had been "assured that the United States is ready to exercise similar control also in the future."

Mr. Moeller said he is convinced there is a need for what he called "improved control" of Eurodollar transactions and he urged European central banks to deal with this problem.

WASHINGTON, April 7 (AP-DJ). — West German Finance Minister Alex Moeller said today that Bonn's pledge in 1967 not to request U.S. gold in exchange for dollar holdings remains in effect.

Mr. Moeller, here for talks with the U.S. Treasury Federal Reserve and the World Bank, also spoke with some optimism about U.S. measures to prevent a continued dollar crisis in Europe, notably such action as the Treasury and Export-Import Bank moves to absorb Eurodollars which otherwise would have been taken up by the central banks of Western Europe.

Economic Analysis The Dollar: A Vietnam Casualty?

WASHINGTON, April 7 (WP). — Devaluation of the dollar? Revival of the Bretton Woods mark? A new demand by European central banks for the right to turn back some of their dollars for gold?

None of these dramatic events may take place; but the fact that serious-minded officials here and abroad in a week would even whisper of them as vague possibilities is a fact of momentous significance.

It would appear that the major industrial powers of the Western world have for the moment again papered over an incipient international monetary crisis.

But the underlying problem—a glut of dollars abroad—persists. And it begins to appear to many sober-minded U.S. experts that unless this country gets out of the Indochina war very soon, this effectively choking off the flood of dollars abroad, the dollar itself might become a casualty of the conflict.

The war has been the single biggest contributor to the chronic U.S. balance-of-payments deficit. Total U.S. military expenditures overseas from 1965 through 1970, including Vietnam, have reached \$25.2 billion, according to data recently compiled by the Joint Economic Committee of Congress.

In this same period, the U.S. balance of payments worsened by a cumulative total of \$11.8 billion on the reserve settlements basis. So it is painfully clear that without Vietnam, the U.S. payments would be about in balance; to withdraw some troops from Europe, and also curtail military aid elsewhere would actually mean a surplus.

And none of these figures takes into account the "indirect" effect of war on the U.S. balance of payments: As inflation proceeds, high prices here attract an enormous volume of imports.

Sharp Drop in P&O Profits Forecast by Outgoing Chief

LONDON, April 7 (UPI). — The retiring chairman of the P & O group, the largest shipping complex in the Commonwealth, today forecast a 50 to 60 percent fall in profits this year after five years of steady gains.

The news immediately wiped about \$18 million (\$43.2 million) off the paper value of the company on the stock market as the share price fell 36 1/2 pence. The group earned \$21.6 million last year.

Chairman Sir Donald Anderson explained to shareholders in his annual statement that all the problems of shifting into container ships from conventional vessels and the huge industry-wide increase in costs cannot be matched with equal speed by increased freight revenue.

"It will take time to restore a balance," he said. Long-Range Picture Sir Donald added that the expected profit drop did not alter, in principle, the longer-term picture for the group.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

Chase Says U.S. Must Alter Policy The Nixon administration will have to change its economic policies if it wishes to reach its goal of a \$1,000 billion gross national product this year, according to a Chase Manhattan Bank subsidiary, Chase Econometric Associates.

The number of families planning to buy a house rose to 2.6 from 2.1 percent, and those planning to buy a major appliance, rose to 35 from 33 percent.

Ford Small Engine Plant for U.S. Ford Motor has designated the United States "the preferred location" for an engine plant it is considering. The proposed plant, which would produce engines for small cars assembled in North America, has been the subject of vast speculation, with site possibilities rumored to be Canada, Brazil, West Germany or elsewhere in Europe.

Kawasaki Unveils Welding Method Kawasaki Steel Corp. says it has developed a machine that can reduce by 50 percent the time and cost of welding steel sheets up to one inch thick. Such plates make up about 80 percent of those used to make ships, and a large portion of those used in bridge construction, the company said.

BSC Price Rise Set LONDON, April 7 (AP-DJ). — British Steel Corp. announced today that its average 7 percent increase on iron and steel product prices becomes effective Sunday.

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Profits Soar In Quarter at J. P. Morgan West Coast Banks Also Report Gains

NEW YORK, April 7.—A second of Morgan Guaranty Trust, said today its earnings before taxes for the first quarter of the year, following yesterday's report from First National City Bank.

J.P. Morgan and Co., parent of Morgan Guaranty Trust, said today its earnings before taxes for the first quarter of the year, following yesterday's report from First National City Bank.

After adding in securities trading gains and losses, the earnings rise was 61.5 percent, to \$38.5 million, \$1.23 a share, from \$23.7 million, \$1.13 a share.

Morgan assets rose 10.5 percent to \$12.9 billion in the first quarter from the year-earlier \$11.67 billion.

Security Pacific LOS ANGELES, April 6.—Security Pacific National Bank showed a 6.7 percent increase in first-quarter earnings before taxes, it was announced yesterday, but expects "little or no earnings growth" for the year as a whole.

Frederick G. Larkin Jr., Security Pacific chairman and chief executive officer, reported consolidated first-quarter income before taxes of \$14.84 million, or 87 cents a share, compared with \$13.8 million, 83 cents a share, on fewer shares outstanding for the corresponding period last year.

Income after reflecting gains or losses from securities transactions was up 8 percent at \$14.87 million, or 87 cents a share, from first-quarter 1970 totals of \$13.7 million, or 82 cents a share.

Assets as of March 31 were \$6.59 billion, up 28.8 percent from the \$6.67 billion total a year ago.

Wells Fargo SAN FRANCISCO, April 7 (Reuters). —Wells Fargo and Co. today announced a 4 percent rise in net income for the first quarter on an 11.6 percent gain in assets.

California's third-largest bank said profits amounted to \$7.5 million, 81 cents a share, in the quarter, up from the year-earlier \$7.18 million, 78 cents a share.

The Dutch firm's executives were speaking at the presentation of the annual report. The executives said Philips, which had 359,000 employees at the end of 1970, plans to reduce its workforce by 30,000 people during 1971.

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Summary of Consolidated Financial Position December 31, 1970 (with comparative figures at December 31, 1969)

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities and Capital in the Business, comparing 1970 and 1969 figures.

Liabilities and Capital in the Business

Table with columns for Current liabilities and Capital in the business, comparing 1970 and 1969 figures.

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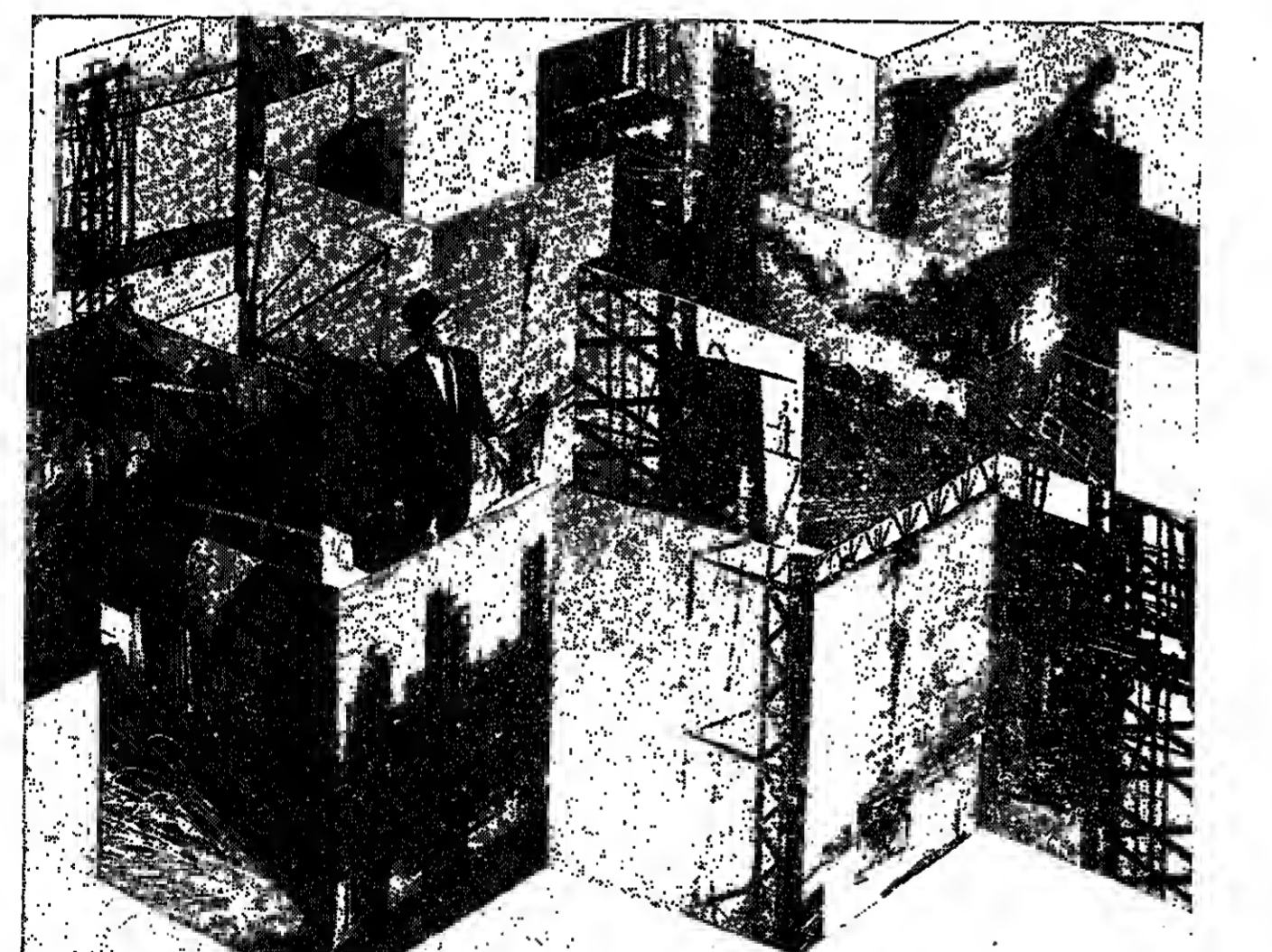
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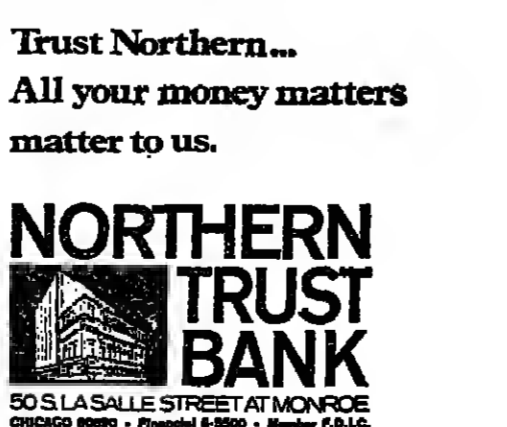
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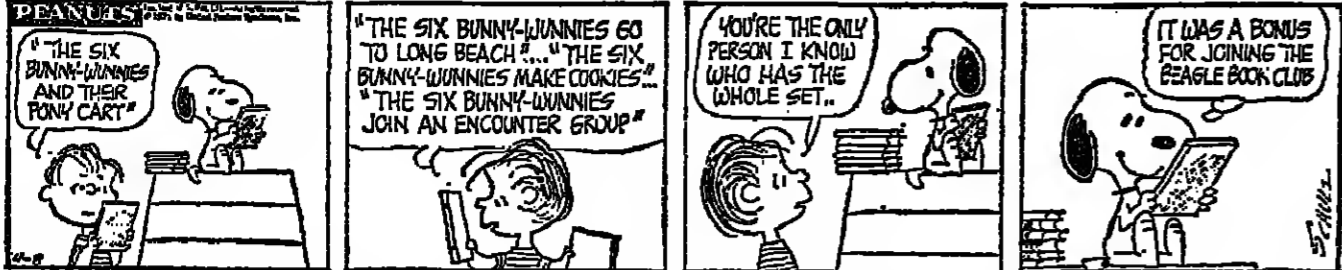
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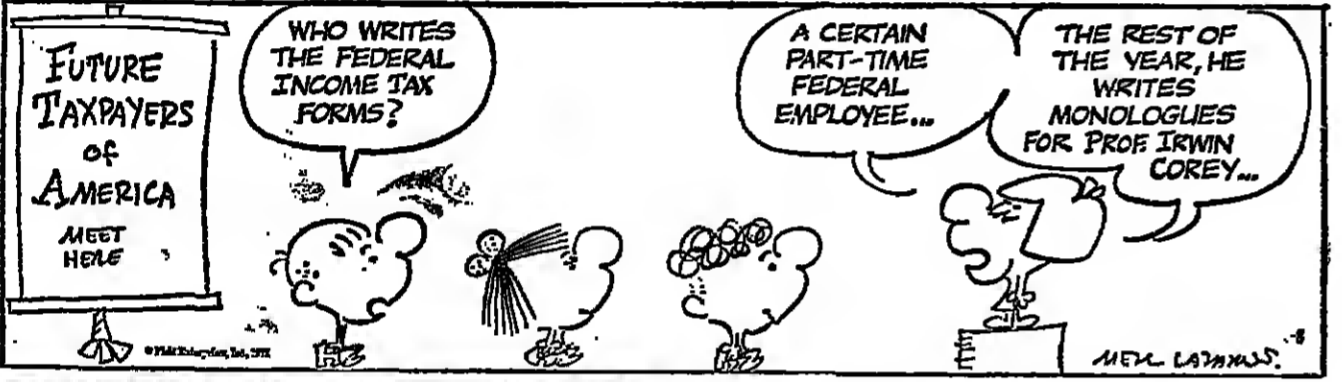
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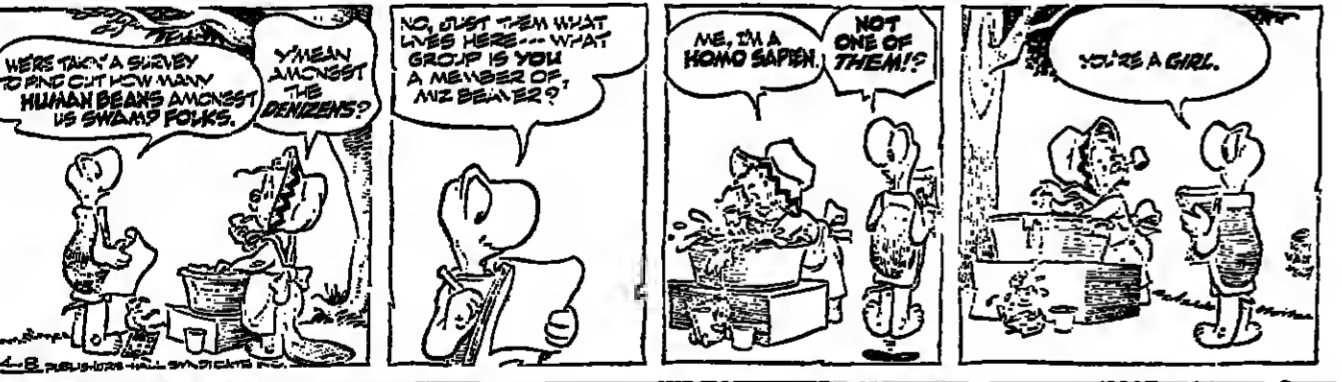
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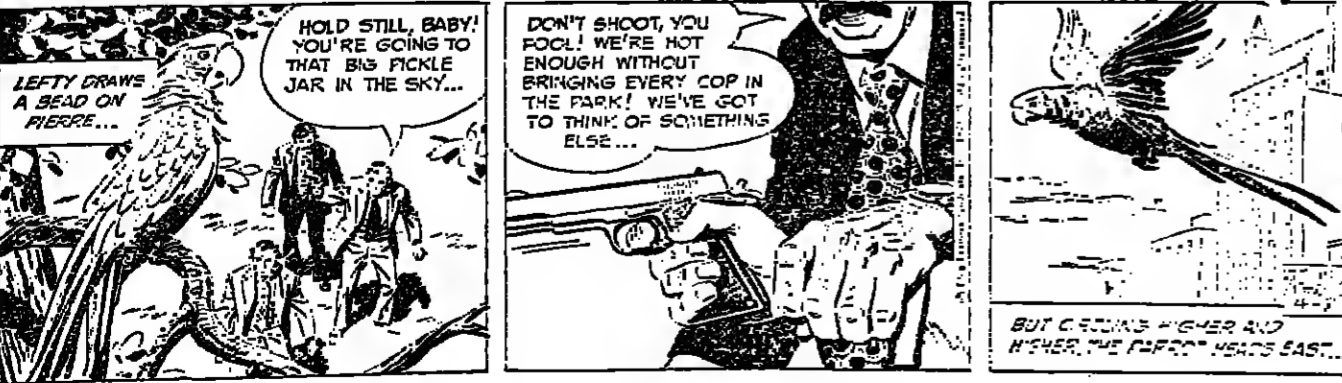
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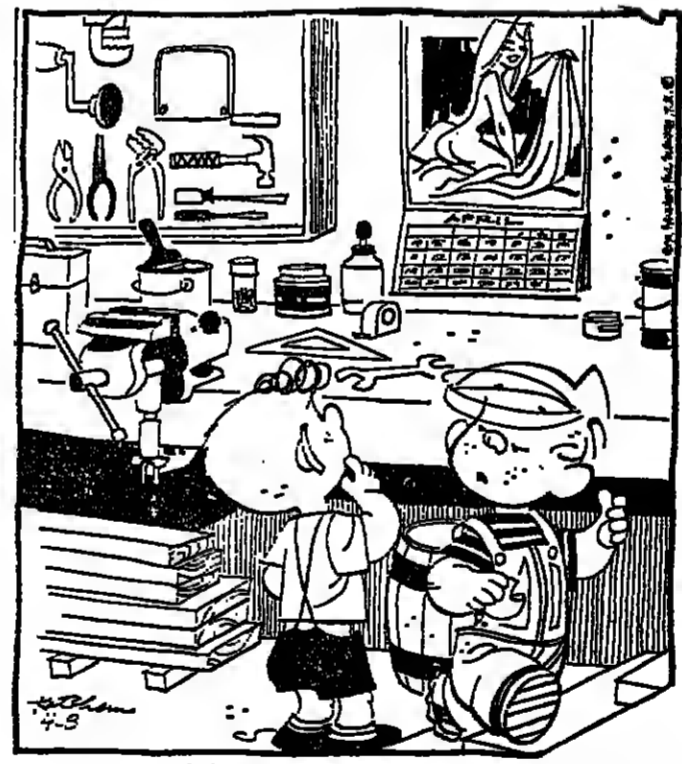
By Alan Truscott

If the opponents are threatening to score a trick with a ruff, it makes sense to remove their trumps as quickly as possible.

Bridge hand diagram showing North and South hands with cards and suits.

South had to assume that West held the heart king, for otherwise there was little hope.

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By John Passmore. Scribner's. 396 pp. \$14.95.

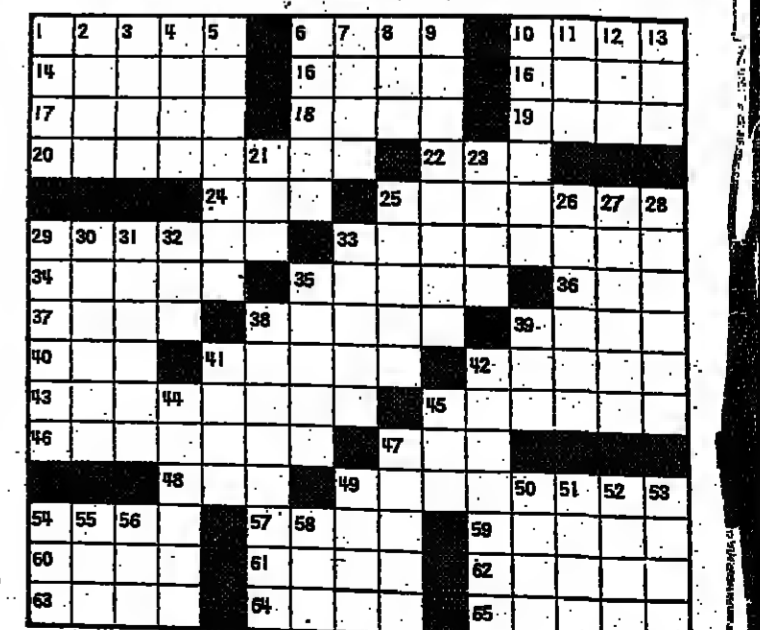
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Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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Cards Rout Cubs, 14-3

Orioles Edge Nats On Two-Base Hit By Frank Robinson

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SWINGING MASCOT—The mascot in the Philadelphia Phillies new ballpark, Veterans Stadium, is waiting to swing his bat, which he will do when a home run is hit. Phillies open stadium Saturday.

Hegan, After Milwaukee catcher Phil Roof was struck on the ear flap of his batting helmet in the second, Blyleven retired 13 straight before Dave May and Bernie Smith slapped singles in the seventh.

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Pennant Race Predictions

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Table with columns for 'Bernie Kirsch's Picks', 'Dick Roraback's Picks', and 'Mike Brandt's Picks' listing various baseball teams and their predicted outcomes.

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